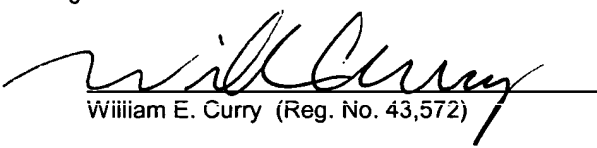




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Sir:

Prior to the examination of the above-identified application, the Applicants respectfully submit the following amendments:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Kindly add the following new claims:

a - -25. (NEW) A floor mat comprising a modifiable electronic display, wherein said display is associated with a sound-generating device.

26. (NEW) The floor mat of claim 25, wherein said sound-generating device is a speaker incorporated into said floor mat.

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